



Customized PTO/SB/22 (06-04)

**PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Application #	09/986,632
Confirmation #	5956
Filing Date	November 9, 2001
First Inventor	AGUERA et al.
Art Unit	1636
Examiner	Akhavan
Docket #	P06974US01/BAS

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a) are as follows.

☒ NOTE: Applicant claims small entity status.

No extension of time previously obtained. Extension requested:

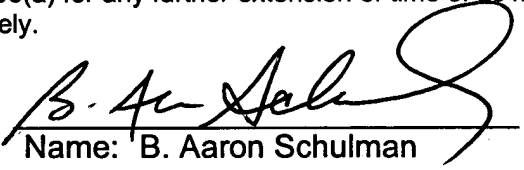
	<u>Large Entity Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
..... One month \$ 110 \$ 55
..... Two months \$ 420 \$ 210
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 950 \$ 475
..... Four months \$ 1480 \$ 740
..... Five months \$ 2010 \$ 1005

☒ A CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$ **950.00** is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555:
(1) if no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith; or
(2) if a further fee and petition for extension of time are required at this time - and in this event, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for any further extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely.

Date: 29 July 2004

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